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NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Salva	atore & Co., Inc.		
			Official Use Only
			FIRM ID. NO.
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BU	JSINESS: (Do not use P.O	. Box No.)	
440 \$	S LaSalle Street		
	(No. and Stree	et)	
Chica	ago, IL 60505		
(City)	(State)		(Zip Code)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF F	PERSON TO CONTACT IN	REGARD TO THIS REP	PORT
Stepl	nen J. Salvatore	312-663	
		(Area Code 1	Telephone No.)
В.	ACCOUNTANT ID	ENTIFICATION	PROCESSE
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT	Γ whose opinion is contain	ined in this Report*	FEB 24 2004
Byror	n Krause, Certified Pub	lic Accountant	THOWSON
	(Name if individual, last,	first, middle name)	FINANCIAL
1521 Heatherton Court (Address)	Naperville,	IL 60563 (State)	(Zip Code)
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CHECK ONE: X Certified Public Acc Public Accountant Accountant not resident	ountant dent in United States or any of its p	possessions.	

* Claims for extensions from the requirements that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption See section 240.17a-5(e)(2).

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OATH OR AFFIRMATION

i,	Stephen J. Salvatore	, swear (or affirm) that, to the
best o	of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement	s and supporting scheduled pertaining to the firm of
	Salvatore & Co., Inc.	, as of
	November 30 , 2003 , are true and ny partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietomer, except as follows: None	d correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company ary interest in any account classified solely as that of
		Signature
		President
	Notary Public	
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^{**}For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filling, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Directors Salvatore & Co., Inc.

I have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Salvatore & Co., Inc. (the "Company") as of November 30, 2003, and the related statements of income, changes in stockholders' equity, changes in liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors, and cash flows for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatements. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides reasonable basis for my opinion.

In my opinion the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Salvatore & Co., Inc. at November 30, 2003, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

My audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained in Schedules I, II and III is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by Rule 17a-5 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information is the responsibility of the Company's management and has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in my opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

January 16, 2004

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

NOVEMBER 30, 2003

ASSETS

LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Liabilities Payable to clearing organization Securities sold, not yet purchased, at market value Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities Commitments and contingent liabilities Subordinated borrowings Subordinated borrowings Stockholders' equity Preferred stock, \$100 par value; 5,000 shares authorized, 1,000 shares issued and outstanding Additional paid-in capital Retained earnings Total liabilities and stockholders' equity LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY \$ 1,1119,013	Cash and cash equivalents at bank Deposit with clearing organization Due from exchange clearing organization Marketable securities owned, at market value Exchange membership, at cost (market value \$69,000) Furniture and equipment at cost, net of accumulated depreciation of \$3,233		\$	630,879 72,269 5,879 318,732 90,700
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF INCOME

FOR THE YEAR ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2003

Revenues:	
Principal transactions	\$1,393,299
Interest	70
Other income	52,539
	1,445,908
Expenses:	
Employee compensation and benefits	363,060
Floor brokerage, exchange and clearance fees	297,913
Advertising and promotion	331,656
Interest expense	24,125
Other expenses	100,212
	1,116,966
Net income before taxes	328,942
Provision for income taxes	(127,050)
Tax benefit of net operating loss carryforward	127,050
Net income	\$ 328,942

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN LIABILITIES SUBORDINATED TO CLAIMS OF GENERAL CREDITORS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2003

Subordinated borrowings, November 30, 2002	\$432,000
Matured loan	(120,000)
Subordinated borrowings, November 30, 2003	\$312,000

SALVATORE & CO., INC. STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2003

	Capital S	Stock	Additional Paid-in	Retained (Deficit)	Sto	Total ckholders'
	Preferred		Capital	Earnings		Equity
Balances, December 1, 2002 Net income	\$100,000	\$ 1,730	\$ 190,679	\$ 100,357 328,942	\$	392,766 328,942
Balances, November 30, 2003	\$100,000	\$ 1,730	\$ 190,679	\$ 429,299	\$	721,708

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2003

Cash flow from operating activities Net income			\$ 328,942
Adjustment to reconcile net loss to net cash			Ψ 520,942
used in operating activities			
Depreciation and amortization	\$	481	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:	•		
Deposit with clearing organization		6,916	
Due from exchange clearing organization		6,127	
Marketable securities owned, at market value	(12	4,920)	
Other assets		1,621	
Payable to clearing organization		899	
Securities sold, not yet purchased		529	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	1	1,584	
Total adjustments			(96,763)
Net cash from operating activities			232,179
Cash flow from investing activities			
Purchase of membership			(55,000)
Cash flow from financing activities			
Subordinated loan paid			(120,000)
Cash and cash equivalents, November 30, 2002			573,700
Cash and cash equivalents, November 30, 2003			630,879
Supplemental cash flow disclosures			
Interest payments			\$ 45,328

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOVEMBER 30, 2003

1. Organization and Nature of Business

Salvatore & Co., Inc. (the "Company") is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and is a member and registered floor specialist trading in equity securities of the Chicago Stock Exchange (the "CSE").

2. Significant Account Policies Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Securities Transactions

Securities transactions are recorded on the trade date. Securities and other financial assets and liabilities are valued at market value.

Statement of Cash Flows

For purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, the Company has defined cash equivalents as highly liquid investments, with original maturities of less than ninety days that are not held for sale in the ordinary course of business.

3. Subordinated Borrowings

The borrowings under subordination agreements at November 30, 2003, all from an officer, are as follows:

<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Amount</u>
March 31, 2004	7%	212,000
October 31, 2004 Total	4%	100,000 \$312,000

The subordinated borrowings are available in computing net capital under the SEC's uniform net capital rule. To the extent that such borrowings are required for the Company's continued compliance with minimum net capital requirements, they may not be repaid.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, Continued

4. Bank Loan and Stockholder's loan

The Company has a \$150,000 line of credit with a bank, which expires on March 31, 2004. Any amount borrowed under this agreement bear interest at the prime rate and is collateralized by all assets in the possession or under the control of the bank and the inventory of specialist securities and is guaranteed by an officer. As of November 30, 2003, nothing was borrowed or outstanding.

5. Income Taxes

The Company offset current income tax expense by using prior years' accumulated net operating losses. The Company has provided a full valuation allowance on the deferred tax asset, consisting of net operating loss, because of the uncertainty regarding its realizability. The Company has net operating loss carryforward for both financial and income tax reporting of \$293,000 that can be used to offset future financial and taxable income and expires as follows:

Year Ending November 30	Amount
2019	\$ 41,000
2022	252,000
	\$ 293,000

6. Pension Plan

The Company has a qualified defined contribution pension plan for all of its employees. Current expense has been funded and there is no unfunded prior service cost.

7. Financial Instruments With Off-Balance Sheet Risk

The Company trades corporate securities with varying degrees of risk in the normal course of business. Trading in these securities is conducted with other registered broker-dealers. Security positions are used, from time to time, as collateral for the line of credit loans from a commercial bank. The Company is exposed to risk associated with counterparty and trade clearing entity nonperformance, limited to the amounts reflected in the statement of financial position. The Company has purchased securities ("long"), and has sold securities that it does not currently own ("short") and will therefore be obligated to purchase such securities at a future date. The Company has recorded the long and short positions in the financial statements at November 30, 2003, at market values. The Company will incur a loss if the market value of its long securities decreases and if the market value of its short securities increases subsequent to November 30, 2003.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, Continued

8. Concentration of Credit Risk

The Company engages in various trading activities in which counterparties primarily include broker-dealers, banks and clearing organizations. In the event counterparties do not fulfill their obligations, the Company may be exposed to risk. The risk of default depends on the creditworthiness of the counterparty or issuer of the instrument.

9. Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the net capital rules of the SEC and CSE. At November 30, 2003, the Company had net capital of \$897,000, which was \$797,000 is in excess of the SEC required net capital of \$100,000 and \$297,000 in excess of capital required by the CSE.

Schedule I

SALVATORE & CO., INC.

COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL

NOVEMBER 30, 2003

Total stockholders' equity			721,708
Liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors			
allowable in computation in net capital			312,000
Total capital and allowable subordinated liabilities			1,033,708
Non-allowable assets			
memberships		\$ 90,700	
furniture and equipment, net		554	(91,254)
Haircuts on securities pursuant to 15c3-1 (f)			
stocks			(45,625)
Net capital			896,829
Minimum dollar net capital			100,000
Excess net capital			\$ 796,829
Total aggregated indebtedness			
Total liabilities		\$396,405	
less			
securities, sold, not yet purchased	\$ 5,941		
subordinated borrowings	312,000	(317,941)	
Total aggregated indebtedness		78,464	
Percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital			8.75%
Percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital after anticipated capital withdrawals			8.75%
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Schedule II

SALVATORE & CO., INC.

RECONCILIATION BETWEEN THE AUDITED AND UNAUDITED COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL

NOVEMBER 30, 2003

There were no material differences between the audited and unaudited computation of net capital.

Schedule III

SALVATORE & CO., INC.

COMPUTATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RESERVE REQUIREMENTS AND INFORMATION RELATING TO THE POSSESSION OR CONTROL REQUIREMENT FOR BROKER-DEALER UNDER RULE 15C3-3

NOVEMBER 30, 2003

The Company does not have any customers, therefore, this computation and information is not applicable.

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Board of Directors Salvatore & Co., Inc.

I have examined the schedule of Securities Investor Protection Corporation general assessment payments for Salvatore & Co., Inc. for the year ended November 30, 2003, as defined by the Securities Investor Protection Act of 1970 and the related instructions and forms. My examination was made in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the requirements of Rule 17A-5(e)(4) of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Accordingly, my examination included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as were considered necessary in the circumstances.

In my opinion, the aforementioned schedule presents fairly the assessments of Salvatore & Co., Inc. for the year ended November 30, 2003, in accordance with the Securities Investor Protection Act of 1970 and the related instructions and forms.

By Ken

January 16, 2004

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION SCHEDULE OF GENERAL ASSESSMENT PAYMENTS YEAR ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2003

	<u>Amount</u>	Payment Date	Paid To
Payment	\$ 150	January, 2003	Chicago Stock Exchange
Balance due	\$ 0		

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Board of Directors Salvatore & Co., Inc.

In planning and performing my audit of the financial statements of Salvatore & Co. Inc. (the "Company"), for the year ended November 30, 2003, I considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, in order to determine my auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), I have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company, including tests of compliance with such practices and procedures that I considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g), in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, I did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons;
- recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13;
- complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of control, and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of an internal control structure and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in any internal control structure or the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate. My consideration of the internal control structure would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control structure elements does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that errors or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, I noted no matters involving the internal control structure, including procedures for safeguarding securities that I consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

I understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on my study, I believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at November 30, 2003, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the use of the Board of Directors, management, the SEC, the Chicago Stock Exchange, and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and should not be used for any other purpose.

By Kram